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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Upon further consideration of the Amendment and Response filed on September 21, 2004 in the above-identified application, Applicant respectfully withdraws claim 16 and amends claims 23-26, depending therefrom, to now depend on claim 15. It appears that Applicant's argument presented in the Amendment and Response of September 21, 2004 for claim 16 was incorrect. Additionally, Applicant corrects a typographical error in claims 9-12, and 15 with this amendment. If any fees are required by this filing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge Sidley Austin Brown and Wood's Deposit Account # 50-1597 for fees necessitated by this filing.

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